

Thursday 24th October

CLONMEL



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| 1.53 | CROTTYS LAKE MAIDEN HURDLE 2m125y (3330 Metres) |
| RACE 1 | (1) ELUSIVE PRINCE (4) MACHISMO (2) GRINGO D'AINAY |
| 2.28 | KILCLOONEY WOODS (Q.R.) HANDICAP HURDLE 2m125y (3330 Metres) |
| RACE 2 | (1) STRAIGHT HOME (3) DUKE OTTO (12) ROMELLA |
| 3.03 | IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF MARES MAIDEN HURDLE 2m3f118y (3930 Metres) |
| RACE 3 | (10) TAREZE (14) KILBARRY CE CE (3) COTTESLOE SUNSHINE |
| 3.38 | RATHGORMACK HANDICAP HURDLE 2m3f118y (3930 Metres) |
| RACE 4 | (5) OLD BILL BARLEY (8) JUNIOR RATTLER (7) JERIKO DE BAUNE |
| 4.13 | MAHON FALLS MARES CHASE 2¼m93y (3710 Metres) |
| RACE 5 | (1) SHECOULDBEANYTHING (3) SPACE TOURIST (5) MOUNT SINAI |
| 4.48 | COUMSHINGAUN HANDICAP CHASE 2½m156y (4170 Metres) |
| RACE 6 | (2) AH REMY MARTIN (3) GENERAL CLERMONT (9) CLONBURY BRIDGE |
| 5.23 | CLONMEL OIL CHASE DAY NOVEMBER 7th HANDICAP CHASE 2m1f50y (3470 Metres) |
| RACE 7 | (2) WARMER DAYS AHEAD (5) KATHERINE (3) FINNIANS ROW |

KEY TO SYMBOLS

Top Rated: The horse with the best chance based solely on past form, specially tailored to a 0-100 scale.

Horses For Courses: A suitable track for the horse, compared to its lifetime record on similar courses as defined by Timeform's course data.

Jockey Uplift: The engaged rider has a notably higher Timeform Jockey Ranking than those who've ridden the horse on its most recent starts

Trainer Form: A hot trainer to follow, based on Timeform ratings-related measurements looking at the recent performance of runners.

1.53**CROTTYS LAKE MAIDEN HURDLE 5yo+ €10,000 2m125y
(3330 Metres)****RACE 1****GBI RACING**Going: **Hurdle course: Good to Yielding; Chase course: Good**

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Pace Information: **Even****1 ELUSIVE PRINCE (IRE) (20) 100**

403-U240 5 11-12 | 75.3kg

Henry de Bromhead, Ireland

D. J. O'Keefe

Fair maiden hurdler. 16/1, tenth of 15 in handicap hurdle at Gowran (20.2f, good to soft) 20 days ago. Leading claims if back to best form.

2 GRINGO D'AINAY (FR) (599) 90

20853/ 8 11-12 | 75.3kg

John Queally, Ireland

S. F. O'Keefe

Fair maiden hurdler. 7/2, good third of 14 in handicap at Wexford (16f, good to soft) in March 2023. Not seen since but thereabouts if still capable of the same form.

3 LIKE A BUMBLEBEE (IRE) (4) 79

P9 6 11-12 | 75.3kg

Michael Winters, Ireland

E. Walsh

Twice-raced maiden. 150/1, ninth of 11 in maiden at Limerick (16.3f, good to soft) 4 days ago.

4 MACHISMO (IRE) (17) (BF) 96

534-4 5 11-12 | 75.3kg

Gordon Elliott, Ireland

Sam Ewing

Fair form in bumpers. Makes hurdle debut for leading stable. Needs considering, particularly if the betting vibes are strong.

5 MARLPARK (IRE) (12) 88

68-5456F 5 11-12 | 75.3kg

John Patrick Ryan, Ireland

S. Fitzgerald

Modest hurdler. Fell in maiden at Fairyhouse (18.5f, good, 22/1) 12 days ago.

6 NIOSFEARABOLT (IRE) (32) 60

F 5 11-12 | 75.3kg

Peter McCreery, Ireland

Gavin Peter Brouder (5lb/2kg)

Once-raced maiden. 2001/, fell in maiden hurdle at Listowel (22f, good, 200/1) on NH debut 32 days ago. Down in trip. Hooded for 1st time.

7 RUT DANIELS (IRE) (98) 85

6 5 11-12 | 75.3kg

David Harry Kelly, Ireland

Ryan Treacy

Once-raced maiden. Sixth of 14 in maiden hurdle at Killarney (20.4f, good, 22/1) on NH debut 98 days ago. Tongue strap on for 1st time.

8 SHERIFFHILL (IRE) 85

6 11-12 | 75.3kg

Terence O'Brien, Ireland

J. P. Shinnick (5lb/2kg)

Pulled up sole start in points (Feb 2024). Makes hurdle debut.

9 THEHARDANTHEWILD (IRE) (20) 85

9 6 11-12 | 75.3kg

Denis Hickey, Ireland

B. Hayes

50/1, ninth of 15 in maiden hurdle at Gowran (16f, good to soft) on NH debut 20 days ago.

10 SHANTOU PRINCESS (IRE) (14) 89

47-6B 5 11-5 | 72.1kg

Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland

Keith Donoghue

Point winner but only modest form in 2 bumpers in the spring. Well beaten on completed start over hurdles this autumn but there was market support for her last time.

10 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

2-1 Elusive Prince, **3-1** Machismo, **6-1** Gringo D'ainay, **17-2** Shantou Princess, **9-1** Marlpark, **25-1** Sheriffhill, **28-1** Rut Daniels, **33-1** Thehardandthewild, **66-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

ELUSIVE PRINCE failed to fire in a handicap last time but this looks an ordinary maiden and he's the one to beat if back to anywhere near his best. Gordon Elliott's Machismo has shown ability in bumpers and could pose the chief threat now switching to hurdles. Gringo d'Ainay could also play a part if retaining anything like his old ability.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. ELUSIVE PRINCE 2. MACHISMO 3. GRINGO D'AINAY****WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

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|------|----------------------------------|------|-------------------|-----------------|----|
| 2023 | Croke Park 5-11-12 | 3-1 | Gordon Elliott | J. W. Kennedy | 10 |
| 2022 | Halibut 5-11-12 | 2-5f | Emmet Mullins | Keith Donoghue | 13 |
| 2021 | Monishter Are Mwee 5-11-7 | 33-1 | Mrs Jayne Hearne | I. J. Power | 8 |
| 2020 | Irascible 5-12-0 | 17-2 | Henry de Bromhead | D. Robinson (3) | 14 |
| 2019 | Notice To Close 5-11-12 | 5-1 | Seamus Neville | B. Hayes | 18 |

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

2.28

KILCLOONEY WOODS (Q.R.) HANDICAP HURDLE 4yo+ (Rated 80-102) €10,000 2m125y (3330 Metres)

RACE 2



Going: **Hurdle course: Good to Yielding; Chase course: Good**

Clonmel is an oval, right-handed track with a circuit of around a mile and a quarter. The first part of the circuit is uphill before a long downhill run to the home straight of a little over two furlongs where the ground is again on the climb. There are six fences to a circuit of the chase course with a long run after the third last, two fences in the home straight and a run-in of around 150 yards.

Pace Information: **Weak**

1 STRAIGHT HOME (IRE) (32) (BF) t 98
005370-32 7 12-4 | 78.0kg

W. P. Mullins, Ireland **Mr P. W. Mullins**
Going the right way for new stable, failing only narrowly to justify support in 16-runner handicap hurdle at Listowel (18f, good, 6/4) 32 days ago. Has to be taken seriously.

2 GRANPA GER (IRE) (45) (BF) 96
5P-574220 6 12-0 | 76.2kg

Anthony Mullins, Ireland **Miss J. Corish (71lb/3kg)**
Fair maiden who had excuses when down the field in big-field handicap at Galway (16.7f, good to soft) 45 days ago, refusing to settle and meeting some trouble. Better judged on previous form.

3 DUKE OTTO (IRE) (26) ★ 100
114800-02 6 11-13 | 75.7kg

Patrick J. Flynn, Ireland **Mr D. Doyle (71lb/3kg)**
10/1, returned to something like his best form when second of 16 in handicap hurdle at Listowel (18f, soft) 26 days ago, staying on well. Big chance with a repeat.

4 PANA TO MILAN (IRE) (145) (D) 96
589116-2P 6 11-13 | 75.7kg

Michael Winters, Ireland **Mr L. Burke-Ott (71lb/3kg)**
8/1, shaped as if still in good heart for most of the way when pulled up in handicap chase at Tramore (21.8f, good to soft) in June. Back down in trip.

5 BREAGAGH (IRE) (12) s 96
2PP3-5224 6 11-9 | 73.9kg

S. Michael Millar, Ireland **Mr N. Gault (71lb/3kg)**
Long-standing maiden who ran creditably when fourth of 10 in handicap hurdle at Fairyhouse (16f, good, 4/1) 12 days ago, running on late. Engaged 4.50 Navan Wednesday.

6 BATTLE ROAR (IRE) (160) b 82
460-06 5 11-5 | 72.1kg

Ciaran Murphy, Ireland **Mr E. Finegan (71lb/3kg)**
Lightly-raced maiden under NH rules. Blinkered for 1st time, sixth of 14 in maiden hurdle (100/1) at Kilbeggan (16f, good) 160 days ago. Has been handed a stiff-looking mark.

7 LATE VOCATION (IRE) (50) t 90
4P-554089 6 11-4 | 71.7kg

A. Slattery, Ireland **Mr A. P. Ryan (71lb/3kg)**
9/1, hinted at a revival when ninth of 14 in handicap hurdle at Kilbeggan (16f, good to soft) 50 days ago. First run for yard after leaving P. F. McEnery.

8 INDULGING (75) 95
F9530/49-5 6 11-1 | 70.3kg

T. M. Walsh, Ireland **Mr R. M. McParland (71lb/3kg)**
10/1, respectable sixth of 13 in handicap at this course (16.6f, good) 49 days ago, met some trouble. Switches from Flat to hurdles. Might have needed the run on last hurdle outing.

9 KEYSER SMOKEYS (IRE) (24) h 50
70-0 4 11-1 | 70.3kg

Turlough O'Connor, Ireland **Mr Turlough O'Connor (71lb/3kg)**
Thrice-raced maiden. 200/1, eleventh of 16 in maiden hurdle at Roscommon (15.6f, soft) 24 days ago. Needs a big step forward on handicap debut.

10 THEFAITHFULINDIAN (IRE) (14) 90
228340/2-7 9 10-13 | 69.4kg

James M. Barcoe, Ireland **Mr M. Doyle (71lb/3kg)**
Modest maiden who was well below form when seventh of 9 in handicap hurdle at Tramore (16f, good to soft, 22/1) 14 days ago.

11 FR HUMPHREY (IRE) (5) s 82
3P-90 16 10-11 | 68.5kg

Miss Niamh Carol Hennessy, Ireland **Miss N. C. Hennessy (71lb/3kg)**
Untrustworthy individual. Eleven runs since last win in 2019 and jumped none too fluently back over hurdles when well held at Limerick (21f, good to soft) 5 days ago. Down in trip.

12 ROMELLA (IRE) (12) (CD) s+t 97
6-8746762 10 10-11 | 68.5kg

Brendan Maurice Walsh, Ireland **Mr C. J. Shine (71lb/3kg)**
C&D winner who ran better than for a while when second of 10 in handicap hurdle at Fairyhouse (16f, good) 12 days ago. Enters calculations.

13 RENE ARTOIS (IRE) (14) s+t 91
6900P-54 5 10-10 | 68.0kg

James A. Nash, Ireland **Mr H. C. Swan (31lb/1kg)**
17/2 and tongue strap on for 1st time, creditable fourth of 9 in handicap hurdle at Tramore (16f, good to soft) 14 days ago. Cheekpieces back on.

14 TIK TOK (FR) (238) 85
068/7P- 7 10-10 | 68.0kg

P. J. Rothwell, Ireland **Miss P. Elvin (71lb/3kg)**
Pulled up in handicap hurdle at Taunton (19f, heavy, 9/1) 7 months ago. First run for yard after leaving Christian Williams. Lots to prove.

14 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

3-1 Straight Home, **13-2** Duke Otto, **8-1** Breagagh, **11-1** Granpa Ger, **12-1** Romella, **12-1** Indulging, **14-1** Rene Artois, **16-1** Late Vocation, **20-1** Pana To Milan, **33-1** Tik Tok, **33-1** Thefaithfulindian, **40-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

STRAIGHT HOME is progressing nicely for her new stable and is taken to gain compensation for a narrow defeat at Listowel last month. Duke Otto and Romella head the dangers.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. STRAIGHT HOME 2. DUKE OTTO 3. ROMELLA

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023 **Housemartin** 6-12-0 15-2 E. J. O'Grady Mr J. H. Williamson (7) 12

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

3.03**IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF MARES MAIDEN HURDLE 4yo+ fillies and mares €15,000 2m3f118y (3930 Metres)**

RACE 3

GBI RACINGGoing: **Hurdle course: Good to Yielding; Chase course: Good**

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Pace Information: **Strong****1 AD CAELUM (IRE) (12) 90**

6273 5 11-7 | 73.0kg
John Patrick Ryan, Ireland **D. E. Mullins**
Lightly-raced maiden under Rules. Good third of 10 in novice hurdle at Fairyhouse (20.5f, good, 14/1) 12 days ago.

2 BALLINLEGANE LADY (IRE) (19) 70

9 5 11-7 | 73.0kg
Kieran Purcell, Ireland **Donagh Meyler**
Once-raced maiden. 66/1, ninth of 12 in novice hurdle at Gowran (20.2f, good) on NH debut 19 days ago.

3 COTTESLOE SUNSHINE (IRE) (110) (BF) 94

39-38 5 11-7 | 73.0kg
Joseph Patrick O'Brien, Ireland **Richard Deegan**
Lightly-raced maiden under Rules. 18/5, below form eighth of 14 in novice hurdle at Bellewstown (20.5f, good to firm) 110 days ago.

4 DOCTEUR ELYSEES (IRE) (9) t 70

0-947 6 11-7 | 73.0kg
Patrick Joseph Hayes, Ireland **Cian Cullinan (71lb/3kg)**
Lightly-raced maiden under Rules. Cheekpieces on for 1st time, seventh of 11 in bumper at Punchestown (15.8f, good, 150/1) 9 days ago. Switches from bumpers to hurdles. Back up in trip.

5 GO AVEL (IRE) (17) 79

7004 5 11-7 | 73.0kg
Francis Casey, Ireland **J. Kearney (51lb/2kg)**
Lightly-raced maiden under Rules. Fourth of 12 in novice hurdle at Fairyhouse (16f, good, 125/1) 17 days ago. Up in trip.

6 KOO STAR (IRE) (28) 79

6-09 5 11-7 | 73.0kg
Liam G. O'Brien, Ireland **Sean Flanagan**
Thrice-raced maiden under Rules. 80/1, ninth of 15 in novice hurdle at Listowel (16f, soft) on hurdles bow 28 days ago. Up in trip.

7 MILANAWAY (IRE) (17) t 94

6424-4P82 6 11-7 | 73.0kg
Denis Hogan, Ireland **D. G. Hogan**
Fair hurdler. Remains a maiden after 9 hurdle runs. Tongue strap on for 1st time, good second of 10 in handicap hurdle at Fairyhouse (24f, good, 12/1) 17 days ago.

8 PHILDANTE (IRE) (77) 87

68-6P33 7 11-7 | 73.0kg
Eoin Doyle, Ireland **H. Morgan**
40/1, respectable third of 13 in bumper at Sligo (18.4f, soft) 77 days ago. Switches from bumpers to hurdles. First run for yard after leaving Roger McGrath.

9 SHES MY GETAWAY (IRE) (425) 79

500/0970- 6 11-7 | 73.0kg
Mark Cahill, Ireland **Niall Moore (71lb/3kg)**
Poor hurdler. Remains a maiden after 7 hurdle runs. Last of 13 in handicap hurdle at Killarney (20.2f, good to soft, 20/1). Off 14 months. First run for yard after leaving Kevin Thomas Coleman.

10 TAREZE (IRE) (207) ★ 100

22P- 5 11-7 | 73.0kg
Henry de Bromhead, Ireland **D. J. O'Keefe**
Thrice-raced maiden. Pulled up in Irish Stallion Farms EBF Mares Novices' Hurdle Championship Final at Fairyhouse (20f, heavy, 80/1), struggling when not fluent 3 out. The one to beat with sights significantly lowered here.

11 A FAMILY AFFAIR (IRE) 79

4 11-6 | 72.6kg
Terence O'Brien, Ireland **J. P. Shinnick (51lb/2kg)**
Muhtathir filly. Half-sister to useful hurdler Ask Paddington. Dam, ran once in bumper, half-sister to fairly useful hurdler/top-class chaser (stayed 3¼m) Trabolgan. Entitled to come on for the run.

12 ANGEL'S PEAK (IRE) (17) 70

877 4 11-6 | 72.6kg
Denis Paul Murphy, Ireland **R. A. Berry (71lb/3kg)**
Thrice-raced maiden under Rules. 66/1, seventh of 12 in novice hurdle at Fairyhouse (16f, good) on hurdles bow 17 days ago. Up in trip.

13 EMERALD FLYER (IRE) (26) h 75

0 4 11-6 | 72.6kg
Mark Cahill, Ireland **S. F. O'Keefe**
Once-raced maiden. Hooded, twelfth of 17 in novice hurdle (40/1) at Listowel (16f, soft) on NH debut 26 days ago. Up in trip.

14 KILBARRY CE CE (IRE) (28) 90

4 4 11-6 | 72.6kg
Con O'Keefe, Ireland **C. M. Quirke (51lb/2kg)**
Once-raced maiden. Fourth of 15 in novice hurdle (17/2) at Listowel (16f, soft) on NH debut 28 days ago. Up in trip and improvement could be forthcoming.

15 LADIES WELL (IRE) (24) t 70

0 4 11-6 | 72.6kg
A. Slattery, Ireland **Philip Donovan (51lb/2kg)**
Once-raced maiden. 50/1, tenth of 16 in novice hurdle at Roscommon (15.6f, soft) on NH debut 24 days ago. Up in trip. Tongue strap on for 1st time.

16 SALLAP (IRE) (4) 70

00 4 11-6 | 72.6kg
S. Curling, Ireland **Phillip Enright**
Twice-raced maiden under Rules. Tenth of 14 in novice hurdle (100/1) at Limerick (16.3f, good to soft) on hurdles bow 4 days ago.

17 SHING SHILLA (IRE) (5) 75

750 4 11-6 | 72.6kg
Adrian Sexton, Ireland **Mr H. E. Sexton (71lb/3kg)**
Unreliable sort. Thirteenth of 17 in novice hurdle (50/1) at Limerick (16.3f, good to soft) 5 days ago. Opposable.

18 WHISPERING HOPES (IRE) (13) 91

42 4 11-6 | 72.6kg
Gordon Elliott, Ireland **Jordan Colin Gainford**
Fair maiden on the Flat. Twice-raced maiden. Second of 7 in novice hurdle at Downpatrick (17.3f, good to soft, 5/1) 13 days ago.

18 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

9-4 Tareze, **5-1** Milanaway, **13-2** Cottesloe Sunshine, **7-1** Whispering Hopes, **8-1** Kilbarr Ce Ce, **12-1** Ad Caelum, **28-1** Phildante, **50-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

This represents a good opportunity for TAREZE, who shaped well when runner-up in a couple of Punchestown maiden hurdles prior to understandably finding Grade 1 company too hot at Fairyhouse on her final start of last season. Kilbarr Ce Ce could be the one to follow the selection home, with Cottesloe Sunshine and Whispering Hopes both make each-way appeal.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. TAREZE 2. KILBARRY CE CE 3. COTTESLOE SUNSHINE****WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

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| 2023 | Mount Sinai 5-11-7 | 3-1 | W. P. Mullins | Mr P. W. Mullins | 16 |
| 2022 | Henning 5-11-7 | 12-1 | Denis Hogan | D. King (7) | 18 |
| 2021 | Optional Mix 5-11-9 | 4-1 | Eoin Doyle | Jordan Colin Gainford (3) | 16 |
| 2020 | Boher Cailin 4-11-5 | 10-3 | Henry de Bromhead | Rachael Blackmore | 14 |
| 2019 | Ard Abhainn 5-11-7 | 4-6f | Gordon Elliott | Davy Russell | 13 |

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

3.38**RATHGORMACK HANDICAP HURDLE 4yo+ €14,500**
2m3f118y (3930 Metres)

RACE 4

GBI RACINGGoing: **Hurdle course: Good to Yielding; Chase course: Good**

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Pace Information: **Very Strong**

1 GREAT BEAR (83) 95
0235-3260 **8** 11-12 | 75.3kg
Henry de Bromhead, Ireland **D. J. O'Keefe**
28/1, below-form thirteenth of 15 in handicap hurdle at Galway (16f, soft) 83 days ago. Up in trip.



2 DRUMGILL (IRE) (18) 99
F1115584 **5** 11-11 | 74.8kg
John Patrick Ryan, Ireland **D. J. Gilligan**
3 wins from 12 runs this season, latest at Ballinrobe in August. 11/1, fourth of 5 in rated novice hurdle at Killarney (17f, soft) 18 days ago, one paced from 3 out. Others more persuasive.



3 WIN SOME LOSE SOME (IRE) (28) 98
9/7-1310 **5** 11-6 | 72.6kg
Padraig Roche, Ireland **M. P. Walsh**
2 wins from 4 runs this season. Not in same form when tenth of 14 in handicap hurdle (17/2) at Listowel (20f, soft) 4 weeks ago. Mark looks on the high side.



4 KALEOSUN (FR) (114) 86
1/4150P-79 **4** 11-5 | 72.1kg
Eamonn O'Connell, Ireland **Mr J. C. Barry**
Fared no better when tailed-off ninth of 12 in beginners chase at Tipperary (17.3f, good to soft, 40/1) on chasing debut 4 months ago. Switches from chase to hurdles. First run for yard after leaving Gordon Elliott.



5 OLD BILL BARLEY (IRE) (18) 100
3330/433 **7** 11-5 | 72.1kg
W. P. Mullins, Ireland **Kieran Callaghan (5lb/2kg)**
11/2, improved again when third of 9 in handicap hurdle at Tipperary (16.2f, good to soft) 18 days ago, looking more straightforward in the finish. Up in trip. Should give another good account nudged up 1 lb.



6 FARMIX (FR) (302) (C) 84
P- **9** 11-3 | 71.2kg
Miss Elizabeth Doyle, Ireland **Sean Flanagan**
Course winner. Dual winning chaser in 2021/21. Went as if needing the run after nearly 3 years off when pulled up in handicap hurdle at Limerick (20f, heavy, 14/1) 10 months ago. Hard to recommend.



7 JERIKO DE BAUNE (FR) (28) (D) 99
U514163-9 **5** 11-2 | 70.8kg
Philip Fenton, Ireland **Niall Moore (7lb/3kg)**
40/1, shaped as if better for the run after 6 months off when ninth of 14 in handicap hurdle at Listowel (20f, soft) 4 weeks ago. Should be much closer to form here.



8 JUNIOR RATTLER (IRE) (150) 99
4/9222P-15 **9** 11-2 | 70.8kg s+t
Oliver McKiernan, Ireland **J. I. Duggan (7lb/3kg)**
Latest win in hurdle at Tipperary in May. 13/2, remained in good form when fifth of 15 in handicap hurdle at Ballinrobe (22.6f, good) 5 months ago, every chance when stumbling last. Should go well.



9 COZONE (9) (CD) 98
0-0P90610 **7** 11-1 | 70.3kg b
Matthew J. Smith, Ireland **J. Smith (7lb/3kg)**
C&D winner. Latest win here in October. Failed to repeat that effort when eleventh of 16 in handicap hurdle (14/1) at Punchestown (22.8f, good) 9 days ago.



10 KARACOLE (FR) (62) 99
662-P2923 **8** 10-13 | 69.4kg
James M. Barcoe, Ireland **Donagh Meyler**
Stiff task when well-beaten third of 5 in novice hurdle (6/1) at Kilbeggan (18.6f, good) a couple of months ago. Runner-up from this mark here in May, she holds each-way claims back in a handicap.



11 CARLAS BIG JIM (IRE) (28) (C, D) 99
2221105-4 **6** 10-8 | 67.1kg



L. J. Archdeacon, Ireland **J. P. Shinnick (5lb/2kg)**
Course winner. 9/1, possibly needed run after 6 months off when fourth of 11 in handicap hurdle at Listowel (16f, soft) 4 weeks ago. Back up in trip.

12 ZOLPHARINE (IRE) (11) 92
49U80P35 **6** 10-5 | 65.8kg



John Patrick Ryan, Ireland **Philip Donovan (5lb/2kg)**
Twelve runs since last win in 2023. Let down by jumping when last of 5 in rated novice chase (12/1) at Cork (17.6f, good) 11 days ago. Switches from chase to hurdles.

12 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

15-8 Old Bill Barley, **13-2** Junior Rattler, **8-1** Karacole, **14-1** Carlas Big Jim, **14-1** Win Some Lose Some, **16-1** Great Bear, **20-1** Farmix, **20-1** Kaleosun, **22-1** Drumgill, **25-1** Cozone, **25-1** Zolpharine, **28-1** Jeriko De Baune

TIMEFORM VIEW:

OLD BILL BARLEY has been steadily progressive this season and arriving on the back of a solid third at Tipperary earlier this month, Willie Mullins' 7-y-o could well be the way to go. The main danger may emerge from Junior Rattler, who was in good order when last seen in the spring, with Jeriko de Baune and Karacole, who was runner-up from this mark here back in May, rounding off the shortlist.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. OLD BILL BARLEY 2. JUNIOR RATTLER 3. JERIKO DE BAUNE

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

4.13**MAHON FALLS MARES CHASE 4yo+ fillies and mares
€12,500 2¼m93y (3710 Metres)**

RACE 5

Going: **Hurdle course: Good to Yielding; Chase course: Good**

Clonmel is an oval, right-handed track with a circuit of around a mile and a quarter. The first part of the circuit is uphill before a long downhill run to the home straight of a little over two furlongs where the ground is again on the climb. There are six fences to a circuit of the chase course with a long run after the third last, two fences in the home straight and a run-in of around 150 yards.

Pace Information: **Very Weak**

1 SHECOULDBEANYTHING (IRE) (18) t **100**
0-3129211 7 11-4 | 71.7kg



Gordon Elliott, Ireland

Sam Ewing

Useful winner over hurdles who made it 2 wins from 3 starts in this sphere when taking 6-runner Like A Butterfly Novices' Chase at Tipperary (20.1f, good to soft) 18 days ago. Likely more to come yet.

2 CALICO (FR) (11) (D) t **94**
21214-542 5 11-3 | 71.2kg



Gordon Elliott, Ireland

C. P. Millar (7lb/3kg)

Fairly useful chaser who posted respectable second of 6 in handicap at Cork (17.6f, good) 11 days ago. Not out of things.

3 SPACE TOURIST (IRE) (22) (D, BF) **97**
18218-512 7 11-0 | 69.9kg



W. P. Mullins, Ireland

P. Townend

Three-time winner over hurdles who confirmed promise of her chase debut effort when winning at Tramore (22f, good to soft, 11/8) in August. Below that level at Sligo latest but must enter calculations here.

4 ANDYOURBIRDCANSING (IRE) (14) **75**
336720P4 6 10-8 | 67.1kg



John Patrick Ryan, Ireland

C. Stone-Walsh (5lb/2kg)

Fair hurdler. Fair winner at 18f over hurdles. Fourth of 8 in handicap chase (25/1) at Tramore (15.5f, good to soft) 14 days ago. Up against it.

5 MOUNT SINAI (IRE) (22) (C) **93**
33158-603 6 10-8 | 67.1kg



W. P. Mullins, Ireland

B. Hayes

Fairly useful hurdler who posted solid third of 7 in novice chase (14/1) at Sligo (17.6f, good) on debut over fences 22 days ago. Yard in good form. Entitled to build on that.

5 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

6-5 Shecouldbeanything, **5-2** Space Tourist, **13-2** Mount Sinai, **7-1** Calico, **33-1** Andyourbirdcansing

TIMEFORM VIEW:

SHECOULDBEANYTHING is going the right way over fences and can notch her third success over the larger obstacles here. Space Tourist looks the likeliest danger.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. SHECOULDBEANYTHING 2. SPACE TOURIST 3. MOUNT SINAI

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

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| 2023 | Limerick Lace 6-11-7 | 9-4f | Gavin Patrick Cromwell | M. P. Walsh | 5 |
| 2022 | Whosgotyanow 6-11-0 | 6-1 | A. Slattery | C. M. Quirke (7) | 4 |
| 2021 | Kitty Galore 7-11-5 | 12-1 | John Patrick Ryan | S. F. O'Keeffe | 6 |
| 2020 | Western Victory 7-11-5 | 6-5f | Declan Queally | S. F. O'Keeffe (3) | 8 |
| 2019 | Tintangle 6-11-3 | 11-8f | Gordon Elliott | Rachael Blackmore | 4 |

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

4.48**COUMSHINGAUN HANDICAP CHASE 4yo+ €11,000**
2½m156y (4170 Metres)

RACE 6

Going: **Hurdle course: Good to Yielding; Chase course: Good**

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Pace Information: **Strong**

1 ROUTINE EXCELLENCE (IRE) (29) (D) s 96
36-33351P 8 12-0 | 76.2kg



Gavin Patrick Cromwell, Ireland

J. Kearney (51b/2kg)

Off the mark for season in 12-runner claiming hurdle at Bellewstown (20.5f, good) in August. However, failed by a long way to back that up when pulled up after 3 out in handicap hurdle at Listowel (24f, soft) 29 days ago. Returns to chasing now.

2 AH REMY MARTIN (IRE) (11) s 98
2736-5331 6 11-12 | 75.3kg



T. Gibney, Ireland

D. J. O'Keeffe

Progressive hurdler who made the perfect start over fences when winning 5-runner novice chase at Cork (17.6f, good) on debut over fences 11 days ago. Looks the type to do better again so very much of interest on handicap debut in this sphere.

3 GENERAL CLERMONT (FR) (9) (D) 98
842-1814F 8 11-11 | 74.8kg



D. E. Fitzgerald, Ireland

Gavin Peter Brouder (51b/2kg)

2 wins from 5 runs this season. Latest win in chase at Wexford in August. Fell in handicap hurdle at Punchestown (20f, good, 9/2) 9 days ago, second when coming down heavily 2 out. Respected provided he's over those exertions returned to chasing.

4 FAUX FUR (FR) (22) (D) 95
0-72U3434 5 11-10 | 74.4kg



Gordon Elliott, Ireland

Sam Ewing

Fair chaser. Fourth of 7 in novice chase (11/1) at Sligo (17.6f, good) 22 days ago, mistakes not aiding her cause. Not discounted on just her second start in handicaps in this sphere.

5 LAKE CHAD (IRE) (14) (D) 94
9U209141 9 11-10 | 74.4kg



Philip Fenton, Ireland

Niall Moore (71b/3kg)

4/1, proved as good as ever when winning 8-runner handicap chase at Tramore (15.5f, good to soft) 14 days ago. Return to this longer trip will hold no fears and respected in this groove for all his revised mark demands more.

6 A MERE BAGATELLE (IRE) (26) (D) b 96
8-17393FF 7 11-9 | 73.9kg



John Joseph Hanlon, Ireland

P. Hanlon (71b/3kg)

Returned to form when scoring at Killarney (20.5f) in May but comes here on the back of 2 non-completions, on the retreat when falling 2 out in handicap chase at Listowel (22f, soft) 26 days ago. Others more persuasive.

7 WINDING RIVER (IRE) (34) b+t 97
5P-292262 7 11-7 | 73.0kg



Oliver McKiernan, Ireland

Phillip Enright

11/2 and blinkered for 1st time, creditable second of 9 in handicap chase at Downpatrick (23.5f, good to soft) 34 days ago, rallying. Respected back down in trip.

8 KILMURRY JJ (IRE) (16) t 94
281-1U604 7 11-6 | 72.6kg



Terence O'Brien, Ireland

J. P. Shinnick (51b/2kg)

Latest win in chase at Limerick (21.8f) in May. 10/1, fourth of 7 in handicap chase at Galway (18.2f, good to soft) 16 days ago. Present mark demands that little bit more.

9 CLONBURY BRIDGE (IRE) (29) b+t ★ 100
731-00273 8 11-4 | 71.7kg



J. P. Dempsey, Ireland

Keith Donoghue

Latest win in hurdle at Cork in March. 8/1, creditable third of 15 in handicap hurdle at Listowel (18f, soft) 29 days ago. Switches from hurdles to chase. Has good chance on pick of form.

10 NATURAL BREEZE (IRE) (67) (C) s 98
44821-552 9 10-8 | 67.1kg



P. J. Rothwell, Ireland

T. Power Roche (71b/3kg)

Latest win in hurdle at Tramore in April. 8/1, creditable 13 lengths second of 12 to Lake Chad in handicap chase at Tramore (22f, good to soft) 67 days ago. Looks competitive on form.

BETTING FORECAST:

4-1 Ah Remy Martin, **5-1** Lake Chad, **13-2** General Clermont, **13-2** Winding River, **10-1** Faux Fur, **11-1** Natural Breeze, **11-1** Routine Excellence, **14-1** Clonbury Bridge, **14-1** Kilmurry Jj, **22-1** A Mere Bagatelle

TIMEFORM VIEW:

Progressive over hurdles, AH REMY MARTIN made the perfect start over fences when landing a Cork maiden 11 days ago and, with the return to further looking likely to suit now handicapping, he looks to have plenty going for him again. General Clermont, Clonbury Bridge and Lake Chad, who arrives in rude health, are others to consider.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:

1. AH REMY MARTIN 2. GENERAL CLERMONT 3. CLONBURY BRIDGE

WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:

2023 **Bonnie Kellie** 6-11-12 10-3 S. Curling Mr P. A. King (5) 9

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race

5.23**CLONMEL OIL CHASE DAY NOVEMBER 7th HANDICAP CHASE**
4yo+ (Rated 0-102) €10,000 2m1f50y (3470 Metres)

RACE 7

GBI RACINGGoing: **Hurdle course: Good to Yielding; Chase course: Good**

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Pace Information: **Even****1 ANOTHER OCANA (IRE) (18) (D) 92**

6167361-F 7 12-0 | 76.2kg
L. J. Archdeacon, Ireland **E. Walsh**
Latest win in chase at Limerick in April. Fell in handicap chase (16/1) at Killarney (17f, soft) 18 days ago.

**2 WARMER DAYS AHEAD (FR) (24) 94**

7/5084-231 5 11-12 | 75.3kg
Oliver McKiernan, Ireland **Phillip Enright**
5/1 and blinkered for 1st time, career best when winning 15-runner handicap hurdle at Roscommon (20.3f, soft) 24 days ago, easily. Big player if he takes to chasing.

**3 FINNIANS ROW (IRE) (19) 94**

895-82421 8 11-11 | 74.8kg
Dermot Anthony McLoughlin, Ireland **Patrick Michael O'Brien (71lb/3kg)**
Career best when winning 14-runner handicap chase (4/1) at Gowran (18f, good to firm) 19 days ago by ½ length from Bite That, always holding on. Likely to be involved again.

**4 L'UN DEUX TROIS (IRE) (20) 94**

36/90 8 11-8 | 73.5kg
Oliver McKiernan, Ireland **Mr J. C. Barry**
11/2, thirteenth of 18 in handicap hurdle at Gowran (20.2f, good to soft) 20 days ago. Makes chase debut.

**5 KATHERINE (IRE) (17) 100**

04890411 7 11-5 | 72.1kg
Adrian Sexton, Ireland **Mr H. E. Sexton (71lb/3kg)**
13/2, career best when winning 12-runner handicap hurdle at Fairyhouse (16f, good) 17 days ago. Switches from hurdles to chase. Thriving and potentially well treated returning to this sphere.

**6 PRINCE OF AIR (FR) (14) (BF) 93**

81-53302U 7 11-3 | 71.2kg
P. J. Rothwell, Ireland **T. Power Roche (71lb/3kg)**
Unseated rider in handicap chase (7/2) at Tramore (15.5f, good to soft) 14 days ago. Had been in good order prior to that, so worth considering.

**7 BIRDSANDTHEBEES (IRE) (19) 94**

03/87-55 7 11-0 | 69.9kg
Padraig Roche, Ireland **P. T. Smithers (71lb/3kg)**
Promising type. 5/1, 4¾ lengths fifth of 14 to Finnians Row in handicap chase at Gowran (18f, good to firm) on debut over fences 19 days ago. Open to improvement and worth monitoring in the betting.

**8 COOLE ARCADE (IRE) (14) 91**

PPP-45642 10 11-0 | 69.9kg
Charles Coakley, Ireland **C. Stone-Walsh (51lb/2kg)**
Sixteen runs since last win in 2022. 11/2, very good second of 8 in handicap chase at Tramore (15.5f, good to soft) 14 days ago. Visor back on. Respected.

**9 BITE THAT (IRE) (19) 96**

05-0P0402 8 10-13 | 69.4kg
Patrick J. Flynn, Ireland **Alex Harvey (51lb/2kg)**
One win from 33 NH runs. Very good ½-length second of 14 to Finnians Row in handicap chase (11/1) at Gowran (18f, good to firm) 19 days ago, sticking to task. Enters calculations.

**10 CROWSATEDAPPLETART (IRE) (5) 95**

09-129061 7 10-12 | 68.9kg
Michael Winters, Ireland **D. J. O'Keeffe**
2 wins from 6 runs this season. 18/1, career best when winning 18-runner handicap hurdle at Limerick (21f, good to soft) 5 days ago, running on. Switches from hurdles to chase.

**11 MACIVER (IRE) (18) 88**

45/99595-P 7 10-4 | 65.3kg
A. M. O'Grady, Ireland **M. J. M. O'Sullivan**
Pulled up in handicap chase (11/1) at Killarney (23.4f, soft) 18 days ago, dropping away between 4 out and 3 out. Back down in trip.

**12 THE HOLMEISTER (IRE) (22) 75**

15060/5P7 10 10-3 | 64.9kg
Eoin Christopher McCarthy, Ireland **G. B. Noonan (51lb/2kg)**
Poor winner at 24f over hurdles. First run since leaving Michael P. Hourigan when seventh of 11 in handicap chase (11/1) at Sligo (21.1f, good) 22 days ago. Cheekpieces on for 1st time.

**13 COASTGUARD LADY (IRE) (19) 87**

P6U0898P 6 10-0 | 63.5kg
P. J. Rothwell, Ireland **S. D. Torrens**
Remains a maiden after 18 NH runs. 33/1, pulled up in handicap chase at Gowran (18f, good to firm) 19 days ago. Cheekpieces back on. Others preferred.



13 DECLARED RUNNERS

BETTING FORECAST:

11-2 Finnians Row, **13-2** Bite That, **7-1** Katherine, **15-2** Prince of Air, **8-1** Warmer Days Ahead, **9-1** Birdsandthebees, **9-1** Coole Arcade, **16-1** Another Ocana, **22-1** L'un Deux Trois, **28-1** Crowsatedappletart, **33-1** Maciver, **33-1** The Holmeister, **125-1** bar

TIMEFORM VIEW:

WARMER DAYS AHEAD has been going the right way over hurdles and reacted well to first-time blinkers when scoring at Roscommon 24 days ago, so he's worth chancing tackling the larger obstacles for the first time. Katherine returns to this sphere in search of a hat-trick and is 4 lb lower than when scoring over hurdles at Fairyhouse recently, so she's an obvious threat, while there's a strong case to be made for Finnians Row.

TIMEFORM 1-2-3:**1. WARMER DAYS AHEAD 2. KATHERINE 3. FINNIANS ROW****WINNERS IN PREVIOUS YEARS:**

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|------|--------------------------|----------|------|------------------------|-------------------------|----|
| 2023 | Midnight It Is | 7-11-9 | 4-1 | Gavin Patrick Cromwell | Keith Donoghue | 11 |
| 2022 | Capture The Drama | 14-10-0 | 15-2 | Aengus King | Gavin Peter Brouder (5) | 9 |
| 2021 | Shopping Around | 7-11-10 | 6-4f | J. T. R. Dreaper | Keith Donoghue | 6 |
| 2020 | American Image | 12-9-12 | 28-1 | S. Michael Millar | Miss A. O'Sullivan (7) | 11 |
| 2019 | Kavanaghs Corner | 10-10-11 | 4-1 | Henry de Bromhead | Rachael Blackmore | 9 |

SMART STATS:

No Smart Stats available for this race